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Postal Address of the Week

Seen, Heard and Told

By The Editor

In terms of the trade, the devil got after us last Thursday after we had printed less than half our papers. These were mailed out. Many subscribers, for the FIRST time in seven years, missed their papers, and we do not blame it on the postoffice this time. In order that the reader will not miss some important stuff, we are repeating a good deal of matter contained in las week's issue—a thing that we do not like to do, but it is necessary.

A hell of a lot of folks came home Christmas and also went away, but we missed most of them.

Getting this paper in the mail Wednesday —a day earlier— we will have Thursday and Friday to print names on Christmas cards, or we will sell them in boxes of 36 or 50. You can write your own name if we get too rushed.

It was quite flattering to us how much those of our readers who did not receive copies last week, were disappointed.

We have a number of attracttive New Year's greeting ads which we have saved back for those we didn't contact for Christmas ads.

We are trying to straighten out our delinquents before the first of the year. We have either mailed statements or sent a young lady in person to see ALL delinquents in the City. To those in the county, outside the city, we urge that you look at the expiration date on your paper, and do one of two things: pay up, or say "hell no, it aint worth it. Cut me off." Or, in the absence of that make some arrangements, which will not be difficult to do. If, thru error, we have billed you when you have already paid, just say so and there will be no argument on us. We, too, make mistakes.

As soon as possible after the first of the year, we are going to give up as lost all those who are behind several months.

Congratulations to Lt. Joe Givan (phonetic spelling) who has thrown his gold bars into Bogue and is now wearing those of silver.

Tom Meek and Ben Adams went goose hunting with Pete LaGrone recently, but nobody has smelled any goose cooking.

It takes a gun to kill a goose.

I started to say something, but it might get somebody killed out of the church.

Solemn warning: Grenada businessmen are going to awaken some fine morning—after the soldiers have gone —to the fact that many of their former customers have formed new buying habits. It would be easy NOW—when gasoline and tires are rationed—to capture the home trade. A little more attention and a little more courtesy and as much better service as possible would help, and so would prices. Advertising to keep your name before the public and to show what you have to sell would help too. Business goes where it is invited and stays where it is well treated, is an old, but true, saying.

I am laying off the gyppers and gutters this week. Turning that over to the OPA and the Billeting Officer.

"By their fruits ye shall know them." By their conduct, discipline and soldierly bearing, I am bound to conclude that the 94th has good officers and, better still, a fine Commanding General.

Just received a copy of Vol. 1, No 2 of ATTACK, the official newspaper of the 94th Division, a well printed and well edited publication, to whose editors we extend congratulations.

This is Christmas time, and I am not even going to mention anything about fires.

Sax Weir celebrated his release from the Draft Board by catching the flu. The old board is keeping shop.

As soon after the first as possible, we are going to arrange to send each copy destined for overseas in a separate wrapper to insure better delivery.

Our "pressman," Dorothy, has found a permanent job, and we commend her to her new employers. She is a reliable and steady worker.

Will the lady who phoned in to George Terrell while all the rest of us were out, please call again and explain about cutting her off, and having paid in September. Whatever the trouble is, we can adjust it satisfactorily?

FOUR STAR MOTHERS

—U. S. A. Signal Corps photo

Mrs. S. P. Caffey, Mrs. Taylor Hayward, and Mrs. W. T. McKell. Mrs. H. D. Staten of Oxberry was not present. Standing is Brigadier General Louis Fortier. Seated in the rear is Col. Ira E. Ryder, Camp Commander.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HONORS FOUR-STARS MOTHERS

The annual meeting of the members of the Grenada Chamber of Commerce, held in the Director's room of Grenada Bank last Friday night, was the occasion for the presentation to four four star mothers of this area of appropriate medals, the election of directors for the ensuing year, and the introduction of high-ranking big shots from the recently arrived 94th Infantry Division, the Grenada Army Air Base and the Station Complement Staff. Smokes and drinks (soft) were served. Mr. J. B. Perry, Sr., President of the C. of C. and the secretary, Mrs. M. I. Noel, were master and mistress of ceremonies respectively.

Mrs. Noel made a recapitulatory report of one already made in writing to the members. Mr. J. H. Oliver, chairman of the committee designated to nominate a new directorate made recommendations which resulted in the election of the new board of directors, to-wit: Messrs. L. C. Proby, B. J. Anderson, J. B. Perry, Jr., H. L. Honeycutt, J. H. Neely, W. M. Sutton, Red Briscoe, H. [illegible] Williams, Frank Innis, O. F. Deaton, and C. [illegible] Calhoon and Dr. F. I. McGahey. The board will elect the officers.

Hon. W. A. Lomax, attorney, was pressed into service, in the absence of the Mayor, to welcome the guests, which he did in a most acceptable and hearty manner.

Honored guests as follows were introduced in turn: The Camp Commander, Col. I. E. Ryder, the C. O. of the Station Hospital, Col. D. C. Campbell, the C. O. of the "Jap Trap" (otherwise the Prisoners of War camp), Col. R. S. Grier, the Camp Executive Officer, Lt. Col. C. B. Coe, the Post Engineer, Lt. Col. F. L. Ackerson, the Camp Provost Marshal, Major Cyrll Lloyd, the Camp Public Relations Officer, Major F. W. Waite, the Finance Officer, Major N. E. Youngblood and Chief Chaplain G. F. Gaertner. Col. Ryder and Major Lloyd each made a short talk.

From the 94th Division, the following were introduced: the Assistant Division Comamnder Brigadier General H. B. Cheadle, the Division Artillery Commander, Brigadier General Louis Fortier, the Chief of Staff, Col. Earl C. Berquist, the Commander of the 519 Art. Bn., Lt. Col. James Cavitress, the G2 of the Division, Lt. Col. R. L. Love, theG1, Major W. H. Patterson.

On account of illness and other reasons, neither the Commander nor the Executive Officer, Col. John C. Bennett and Lt. Col. Louis Wise respectively, were present. The Grenada Army Air Base was represented by its Base Planning and Training Officer, Major W. W. Broom, who made a short response.

On account of the inclemency of the weather, few county, city and USO officers were present.

Mr. John Rundle, Superintendent of City Schools, in his talk took occasion to compliment the Camp Commander on the cooperation he had received from him; also to indicate the difficulties that he had experienced in the past and his prospective difficulties in the race between school children and available space. He stated that, by diligent effort, he had received a large grant from the governemnt. He wound up by saying that he hoped to see, before he passed from the scene, a much larger and a more modern grammar school building replace the 53-year old structure now terribly overcrowded.

The session's final act—the prime object of the meeting—was the presentation by General Fortier of the medals to the mothers to be honored, as follows: Mrs. W. T. McKell for her four sons, Captain Thomas E. McKell, Lt. William McKell, Cpl. James D. McKell and Private Joseph P. McKell, now in a Naval Training Center; Mrs. S. P. Caffey for her five sons, Sgts. James H. Caffey and Leroy Caffey, Lt. Pat Caffey Jr., and Pvtts. Winton Caffey and Erwin Caffey, also her brother, Shed H. Kirk; Mrs. T. T. Hayward for her four sons, Herbert Hayward, E. M. 2C, Joe Bob Hayward, E.M. 2C, James C. Hayward, 1st Class, and Pfc. Fred Hayward; Mrs. H. D. Staten (not present) of Oxberry for her four sons, Pfc. Herbert Staten, Sgt. H. D. Staten Jr., Pfc. Thomas Staten and Pvt. John N. Staten.

During the progress of the meeting and upon motion of Mr. J. H. Oliver, who made a short talk, a rising vote of thanks was given President J. B. Perry Sr. and Secretary Mrs. M. I. Noel.

Fred Bowman Died In Winona Thursday

Fred Bowman, who was a most useful employee of Mr. P. H. Youngblood until a serious illness developed, died in Winona on Thursday afternoon, December 16, 1943.

He was a native of Orange, Texas, having been born there on March 29, 1917. A few years ago he and Miss Bernett Wagner were married. He was highly esteemed for his honesty and his diligence in the performance of his duties, to all who knew him.

His body was buried from the Presbyterian church in Winona on Saturday with Rev. C. A. Pharr and Rev. J. W. Lowe of Winona jointly in char of the rites.

Surviving him are his widow; his mother, Mrs. Irene Bowman of Lake Charles, La., and two sisters, Mesdames Charles Sledge of Great Falls, Mont. and J. O. Dockery of Stuttgart, Ark., to whom the sympathy of the community is extended.

Choral Group To Sing In Square Christmas Eve

The Choral Group, composed of talented Negro singers from every area at Camp McCain, under the capable direction of Cpl. Curtis T. Brown, will sing for Grenadians and visitors in the public square Christmas Eve at 7 P. M.

This splendid group of singers has appeared in concert in neighboring cities and over WJDC, on Sunday last.

Everyone is invited to hear these men. Rev. James Eidden, Chaplain, will accompany the group. Col. Sutherland, in charge of all Negro troops and Lt. Castle, in charge of arrangements. The USO directors, McDaniel, Gordan and Kincaide, assisted by Mrs. W. W. Whitaker made local arrangements.

Dear Santa: bring be a new pair of scissors to clip coupons. Ben Brown.

Appointed Billeting Officer

—U. S. A. Signal Corps photo

LT. CLARA E. KRAMER

Lt. Clara E. Kramer, of the WAC organization at Camp McCain, has been appointed by the Camp Commander as the Billeting Officer.

Christmas Plans For The USO Group Outlined

The USO Council, composed of a mixed group of USO workers and selected Grenada citizens, has formed plans designed to entertain and welcome the many "strangers within our gates" during the holidays. Elsewhere will be found a definite program, planned by the USO directors, to be carried out successfully with the aid of local people.

The announcement has been made that there are some soldiers in Camp McCain and at the AAB desirous of spending Christmas in a private home and to Grenada citizens, who have no [illegible] for entertaining personal guests from the Camp or the AAB,or who could include an extra guest or two, or those who are desirous of having some of the boys with them for Christmas, we ask that you contact your church chairman or call direct to Mrs. W. W. Whitaker. The chairman, in turn will send your name and street number and the hour you expect your guest, to the Camp or Base.

PLEASE do not phone and ask for a soldier who belongs to ANY PARTICULAR church. ALL are soldiers fighting for the SAME cause.

USO Club Features For The Holidays Announced

Sunday, Dec. 19 — Open House
9:00 AM, Coffee and doughnut.
3:30 Music Concert.
5:00 Refreshments
8:00 Movie, "There Goes my Heart"

Monday, Dec. 20 — Junior Hostesses
7:00 PM, Carol Singing
8:00 PM, Junior hosteseses decorate for Christmas

Tuesday, Dec. 21 — Husband and wife Party

Wednesday, Dec. 22
8:00 PM, Recorded Classics.
9:00 PM, Record your Voice

hursday, Dec. 23
8:00 PM, Discussion Group.

Friday, Dec. 24 — Christmas Eve
8:00 PM, Games.
9:00 PM, Music and Caroling.
10:00 PM, Around the Christmas tre

Saturday, Dec. 25. Merry Christmas
4:00 PM, Christmas program of Childrens' dances.
7:30 PM, Vesper Services, Conducted by Rev. C. S. Liles.
8:00 PM, Movie, "Joan of Paris."

Masonic Lodge Officers Are Elected

Grenada Lodge No. 31 met in regular session and elected the following officers to serve for the term following the installation on the evening of Monday, December 27: F. L. McGahey, W. M.; C. W. Briscoe, S. W; George Hollingsworth, J. W.; L. Friedman Treasurer; E. M. Whitaker, Secretary; D. E. Parks, S. D.; Cecil Briscoe, J. D. and Shelton Moore, Tyler.

We should have a pretty sober Christmas, because licker is so hard to get, and so high. Then, too, these are sober times. It is ill becoming to celebrate the birthday of the Savior by drunkenness and debauchery.

Aint they sweet.

Commanding General, 94th Infantry Division

MAJOR GENERAL HARRY J. MALONY —U. S. A. Signal Corps photo

THE 94TH INFANTRY DIVISION MOVED "SOUTH FOR WINTER"

The 94th Infantry Division, commanded by Major General Harry J. Malony, has moved "South for the winter" to the comparative luxury of the trim rows of barracks in Northern Mississippi's Camp McCain.

But the 94th Division, fresh from a rigorous training period where pup tents were the only barracks and the ground and rocks were the only mattresses, has not moved South for a life of ease. A Division's "personality" reflects the personality of its commander and it is recalled that early in its training the Division Commander told th Division and the public that "our job is to create a combat-worthy division in the shortest practicable time." And so it is almost with a spirit of importance that the Division enthusiastically will continue vigorously the rigid training pursued through a rugged sub-zero winter and blisteringly hot summer in Kansas' Camp Phillips.

The Division Commander, Major General Malony, is a leader fitted by a background of varied experiences for such an important assignment. In World War 1 he received the Distinguished Service Medal for his service with the AEF in charge of Aircraft Armament. His military experience has been amply supplemented by a thorough military education including service as an instructor at the Army War College. He was the senior Army Officer of the Board of Experts for acquisition from the British Government of Army and Navy bases from Newfoundland to Demarara. In 1941 he was appointed Assistant Chief of Staff in charge of operations and training in the War Department General Staff and prior to his assignment as Commander of the 94th was assigned to the Office of the Chief of Staff for duty in the War Plans Division. He was on the Combined Chiefs of Staff as member of Mr. Harry Hopkins' Munitions Assignment Board. But recognized even above these qualifications, is his quiet and forceful personality which automatically commends the respect of his officers and men.

One of the Division's most colorful figures is its Artillery Commander, Brigadier General Louis Fortier, known internationally for his diplomatic service as Military Attache to Yugoslavia during the German occupation—a service which extended our country's friendly relations far beyond the borders of the country in which he was serving. During the recent visit of General Giraud to this country General Fortier acted as his aide. Through his inexhaustible effort and splendid leadership he has developed the Division Artillery to a standard of efficiency hard to excel.

Brigadier General Henry B. Cheadle is the Assistant Division Comamnder. He served as a member of the War Department General Staff and as Military Attache to Spain, Portugal and Hungary. In the Tunisian campaign, he commanded an infantry regiment until he was promoted to his present rank. The experience gained in his many assignments has become a distinct asset to the Division whose training he helps to direct.

Colonel Earl C. Berquist, Chief of Staff, bears the responsibility of carrying into effect and coordinating the plans and policies of the Commanding General. He is exceptionally well qualified for his job, having served as an instructor in the Infantry School at Ft. Benning, Georgia, as Executive Officer of the Newfoundland Base Command and as a member of the Staff of the Army General Forces in Washington.

Already, men of the 94th are learning the meaning of traditional Southern hospitality, and the people of the South are already learning that the 94th has its own tradition of orderliness, self-respect, discipline and courtesy.

The 94th is a typical "All-American" outfit, with men from every State and most of the country's colleges and universities and almost every conceivable civilian occupation and profession. But these men no longer represent different localities and occupations; they have become a combat team representing the Army of the United States.

Annual Christmas Banquet Thursday, Dec. 16th

The Young People of the Grenada Methodist Church with Miss Lucille Pierce as counselor had their annual Christmas banquet on Thursday evening, December 16, at 7:30 o'clock. Forty young people were present. Mrs. Vasar Dubard, who had charge of food preparations was assisted by Mrs. W. L. Robinson and Miss Fay Gordon. Miss Maye Evelyn Doggett had charge of decorations. The efforts of these ladies made the banquet a tremendous success. After dinner the young people went caroling, thus bringing their evening to an appropriate close.

Missing In Action

It will be sad news to friends of the family to hear that Sgt. W. D. Riley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Riley, of Chicago, formerly of Duck Hill, has been reported missing in action. He was on his 20th mission over Germany.

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MARSHALL PERRY

L. C. PROBY

L. C. Proby Announces For Mayor

Hon. L. C. Proby, the Mayor of the City of Grenada, asked the GCW to make formal announcement that he is a candidate for reelection.

Having served the present term and a term four years before this term, his record is before the people of Grenada. "The moving finger writes, and having writ, moves on" is a quotation that fits Mr. Proby, as it fits others who seek reelection to public office. The record, thought by many to be good, is there. It can not be changed. Mr. Proby is running on the record made in office.

Certainly he has served during the most difficult times that Grenada has experienced since the War for Southern Independence. The added population—with a host of workmen, a division of the army and its attendant Station Complement and an Army Air Base—has added immeasurably to the problems of the city administration. It would be conservative to say that two or three times the people now live in the city limits as did in 1940 when this city administration began.

While not authorized to say so, the writer doubts that Mr. Proby, who is very busy like the rest of Grenadians, will make a house-to-house canvass.

Marshall Perry Announces For Mayor

To My Fellow Citizens of Grenada:

After advising several of my friends that I would not be a candidate in the coming city election, I finally yielded to solicitation and entered the race for Mayor.

As both candidates in this race are already well known to the people of Grenada and since we are now preoccupied with the all-important task of winning the war, I do not feel that a political campaign, as the term is commony understood, is necessary or desired. It is therefore my intention to largely confine my political activities to an announcement in the newspapers.

If elected, I will devote whatever energy and ability I possess to your interest and will try to give you a sound, businesslike and progressive administration.

I would be proud to be found worthy of your support.

Sincerely yours,
MARSHALL PERRY

Aint they sweet.

If you receive a copy of the GCW and do not know wherethehell it came from, it is a gift from some loved one, or friend in Grenada.

WILL BE CLOSED

From Monday, December 20th 'till January 10th

Wishing You All a

Merry Christmas

John Haxby

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Attention To Farmers Of Grenada County

EDITOR'S NOTE: Farmers who are desirious of getting new farm equipment and who have been led to think they will get it, should read this, and the article to run next week, on this subject. Data given us by Grenada Implement Co. who wish to present this problem fairly to their many customers.

A letter from War Production Board, Washington, D. C., to International Harvester Co., Chicago, Illinois.

This will confirm the conclusion reached at a meeting of Technical Alternates of the Farm Tractor Industry Advisory Committee held in Washington, D. C., last Friday, October 15, 1943, at which your Company was represented.

In view of the fact that tractor production is currently 25 percent behind schedule, and will apaprently still be lagging on January 1, 1944, the War Production Board and the War Food Administration stated that imediate action must be taken to correct this situation.

As indicated at that meeting, the first step is for you to file with this Division on or before October 29, 1943, any revised production plans which you may wish to submit. These revised schedules should be on a realistic basis, considering the component situation in the light of the facts presented at the above meeting and your own knowledge of your chances of receiving the necessary components on time. Unjustified optimism or mere hopes that the situation will improve should not enter the picture. These schedules should be filed on Form WPB-3181, together with any supporting data which may be necessary to justify or explain the changes.

If, from all the facts within your knowledge and as presented at the above meeting, you are not reasonably certain that you can build all the tractors presently scheduled by you, you are requested to tell us what the expected deficit will be. The revised WPB-3181 should show no more tractors for completion by June 30, 1944, than you reasonably expect to produce.

If, on the other hand, you believe that you can deliver by June 30, 1944, more tractors than you have presently scheduled, this should be indicated by filing also on or before October 29, 1943, a formal appeal for increased quota from Schedule "A" or Order L-257 and/or from L-257-a. No appeal will be considered unless it is fully documented as to availibility of materials, labor and components (including those made by you), together with satisfactory evidence that your suppliers can and will furnish you on time whatever components you do not make yourself. This appeal should also include the filling out of a supplementary tentative WPB-3181 which will indicate the montly production of the additional machines.

In the event that you appeal for additional tractors, you should also appeal for the proper number of units, if any, of integril and/or complementary implements, which in your judgment will be required.

These revised schedules will be considered by the War Production oBard as your promise (or "performance bond") to the American people, as well as to the United States Government, that all the tractors scheduled by you will be produced in the months indicated. The aWr Production Board will naturally continue to render all assistance possible in breaking individual bottle-necks. However, it cannot promise to give immediate relief in all troublesome cases, and increased efforts based on your own individual initiative will be esential. Furthermore, time is so short that no revisions downward in tractor schedules should be considered after the above deadline.

If it develops that tractors are unavailable next Spring because of your failure or inability to meet these revised schedules, you, as producer, rather than the War Production Board, will have to assume the responsibility. The War Production Board is at this time giving you an opportunity to tell us of any possible deficit, so that we can arrange to shift this deficit to those producers who are in a position to manufacture additional machines, but who must be notified promptly in order to achieve any increased production.

Very truly yours,

(Signed)
George Krieger, Director,
Farm Machinery and Equipment Division.

Dear Santa Claus, Please Bring Me

A big solitaire, Juanita.

More letters so that I can rig up more alphabetical organizations, FDR.

A box of ten cent cigars, Winston Churchill.

Baking At Camp McCain Runs Into Big Business

In the operation of his Army Service Forces bakery at Camp McCain, Uncle Sam kills the proverbal two birds with one stone by training Army personnel for service with bakery companies in the field and by baking bread for his troops here at a cost of slightly more than three cents per pound.

The job of baking bread for the soldiers at Camp McCain runs into big business says a report from Lt. James C. Lynch, Bakery officer, showing that during a typical month the bakery here produced over 300,000 pounds of bread, or about 12 carloads.

The bakery is operated by assigned military personnel in charge of graduates of the Army's bakers and cooks schools. It was established under the supervision of the Quartermaster Branch, Fourth Service Command, to insure that the soldiers in trainin here haev sufficient wholesome and nutritious bread without putting too great a load on commercial bakeries serving civilians.

The report for the month shows that the bakery used 245,000 pounds of flour and produced 377,636 pounds of bread, or 154 pounds of bread for every 100 pounds of flour consumed at a cost of .03224 cents per pound of bread. Army bread is baked in two pounds loaves, while the ordinary commercial loaf weighs about one pound.

A new pipe, Stalin.

A can of Prince Albert, Frank Innis.

More customers, Rose Weir.

A big bunch of hay, Uncle Nan.

Greetings from the President, a lot them.

A new paint brush, Albert Clark.

To change my name to Mr. Crump, Hurd Horton.

A bunch of new divorce cases, Sam Mims and Nicols.

The Supreme Court judgeship, L. A. Smith, Sr., Holly Springs, Miss.

An abdominal girdle, Bilbo.

Some more work to do, the old lady. This is phoney.

Dern few more subscribers, the GCW.

A picture of Eleanor, Red Taylor. This is phoney.

A gold maple leaf, Captain Walen.

A diamond bigger than Juanita's, Frankie.

A bottle of Sure Shot hair grower, Ben Adams.

A place to sleep, many soldiers and wives.

Another star, General Fortier.

A sharp axe, Pony Costillow.

No more drafting business, Sax Weir.

More crooked vertebrae, Dr. Johnson.

A wife, Keene Huffington and Ike Herrod—one each.

A couple of snorts, J. M. Beckum.

A gallon, J. M. Pierce and Dick Latham.

Ditto, Babe Costillow.

A trip to Hot Springs. Warner Horton.

The end of the war, everybody.

An eagle, Lt. Col. Caviness.

Yuletide draws people closer together, helps us all towards quiet friendliness and group enjoyment of days like Christmas.

A most proper time for us to express our sincere appreciation for your friendship, and to wish for you an abundance of Christmas joy.

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THE STAGE COACH has given place to the streamliner. The electric light has snuffed out the soft-beamed candle. Tinkling sleigh bells are drowned in the roar of motor horns. But who will say that Christmas has lost its charm? With Christmas at hand we renew our pledge of devotion to ideals of honest dealing, and express our appreciation of your friendship for us during 1943.

"HEAP ON MORE WOOD, THE WIND IS CHILL;
BUT LET IT WHISTLE AS IT WILL,
WE'LL KEEP OUR MERRY CHRISTMAS STILL!"

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND

By virtue of the provisions of that certain Deed of Trust, dated February 2, 1938, recorded in Book 68, page 546, of the Records of Land Mortgages and Trust Deeds of Grenada County, Mississippi, executed by Joseph G. Thomas and Mrs. Irene P. Thomas to D. B. Turner, Trustee, to secure the payment of a certain indebtedness therein mentioned to Peoples Bank & Trust Co., North Carrollton, Mississippi, default having been made in the payment of said indebtedness, and having been requested by Peoples Bank & Trust Co. North Carrollton, Mississippi, the legal holder and owner of said indebtedness and said deed of trust, so to do, the undersigned Substituted Trustee by legal appointment of record in Book 82, page 104, of the Records of Land Mortgages and Trust Deeds of Grenada County, Mississippi, will on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 27th, 1943, within legal hours, in front of the East Door of the Court House in Grenada County, Mississippi, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the following described lands in Grenada County, Mississippi:

North ½ of Northwest ¼ and Northwest¼ of Northeast ¼ (or Lots 2, 3, and 4), Section 31, Township 22,Range 2 East.

The undersigned will convey only such title as is vested in him as such Substituted Trustee.

Witness my signature, this December 1st, 1943.

A. M. CAROTHERS,
Substituted Trustee.
12-2, 9, 16, 23-237w.

NOTICE TO DEALERS IN LUMBER

Bids are invited to sell and deliver to Grenada County for the ensuing twelve months, at points designated by members of the Board bridge lumber that may be required by said county in sizes and dimensions to be designated by members of the Board, said lumber to be post oak or white oak or creosoted timbers, said bids to be for either or all of said lumber and to be submitted on or before the 1st day of January 1944, the Board reserving the right to reject any and all bids. This 8th day of December, 1943.

J. P. Pressgrove, Clerk,
12-16,23,30-100w.

W. K. HUFFINGTON
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
Grenada County.

Executrix's Notice to Creditors of Beverly Thomas, Deceased.

Letters of Testamentary having been granted on the 9th day of December, 1943, by the Chancery Court of Grenada County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Beverly Thomas, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Coert for Probate and registered according to law within six months from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This 9th day of December, A. D., 1943.

Ranie Thomas Huggins,
12-16, 23, 30-100w. Executrtix.

BIDS TO MAINTAIN AND SUPPORT OLD NEGRO HOME

Bids are invited by the Board of Supervisors of Grenada County, Mississippi, to support and maintain the county paupers committed to the Old Negroe's home for the ensuing 12 months. Said bids to be submitted on or before the 1st day of January, 1944, the Board reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

This 8th day of December, 1943.

J. P. Pressgrove, Clerk.
12-16, 23, 30-72w.

NOTICE TO BANKS

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received on or before the first Monday in January, 1944 from the Banks for the privilege of keeping the County's Funds or any part thereof, this notice being given as provided for under Chapter 105 of the Code of 1930 and amendments thereto. The Board reserving the right to reject any and all bids. This 8th day of December, 1943.

J. P. Pressgrove, Clerk.
12-16, 23, 30-75w.

NOTICE TO DEALERS IN CULVERTS

Bids are invited to sell and deliver Culverts to Grenada County for the ensuing twelve months, said culverts to be in sizes, lengths and quantities as designated by members of the Board and delivered at points designated by the Board; said bids to be filed with the clerk on or before the 1st day of January, 1944. The Board reserving the right to reject any and all bids. This 8th day of December, 1944.

J. P. Pressgrove, Clerk.
12-16, 23, 30-84w

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

To Odean Davis, address unknown:

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Grenada in said State, on the Second Monday of January, A. D., 1944, to defend the suit No. 5776 in said court of Jessie Davis wherein you are a defendant.

This 7th day of December, A. D., 1943.

J. P. Pressgrove, Clerk.
12-16, 23, 30-64w.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters Testamentary having been granted and issued to the undersigned as Executor of the last will and testament and of the estate of Carrie T Allison, deceased, on December 11th, 1943, by the Chancery Court of Grenada County, Mississipp, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said Estate to have same probated and registered with the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, of they will be forever barred.

This the 16th day of December, 1943.

Travis M. Allison, Executor
12. 16, 23, 30. 90w

Dear Santa Clause, Please Bring Me

A boar shote, Henry Marter.

A woman size axe, Cousin Ira.

More acreage, the farmers.

A real ermine coat, Mrs. Rose.

A new cap, Uncle Joe Williams.

More points, everbody

A good crop next year,the Dubards.

My boys back, Miss Sadie.

Some teeth, Max Yeager.

A vacation, Dorothy McCrackin.

A bigger toll dish, W. E. Smith.

The war to last forever, a lot of the people.

A box of seven centers, Tom Meek.

Another stripe or so, Whyte Jr.

A rich wife, L. Friedman.

To get over this damn cold, P. H. Youngblood.

A safe spot to land, Musso.

More men, MacArthur.

No more work, biddy.

A leather bag, Sitt.

Another stripe, Cpl. J. R. Perry.

A half pint for Xmas, Horn.

A thicker skull, Fred Sullens.

My health back, Paul B. Johnson.

A corporalship, Pfc Joe P. Ward.

A mess of greens, old Joe.

A home at Oxberry, Frank Travis.

The Speakership, Walter Sillers.

Mrs. Ellen also wants her husband to get well because she says he has been awful.

Some rest, the M. D.s

A mink coat, Caroline.

A a good job, Dorothy.

Regular pay, the supers.

More rent, the owners.

Less rent, the tenants.

A mess of backbone, John Carver

More houses to build, C. A. Camp.

Many more grandchildren, Wing.

More renewals, the GCW.

Rest and more of it, Ed Holcolm.

A silver leaf, Major Holcolm.

A filing cabinet, Col. Hoffa.

Several cases, Pete Lagrone.

One more chance at the Ferdinands, C. V. McKell and Rob Brown.

Some more toofies, Shirley Whitaker.

A full quart, Uncle Pink.

A new walking stick, Jutt Cook.

More licker, the bootleggers.

More renters, Revell.

A bottle or so of Garrett, A. Hudson.

Something to argue about, Jim B. Keeton.

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Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fail to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison the system and upset the whole body machinery.

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FOR THREE DECADES the country's center of population has moved steadily in a Southerly direction.

BEFORE PEARL HARBOR great and consistent progress had been made in the type and quantity of products from the farms, livestock ranges, oil wells, mills, mines and factories of the South.

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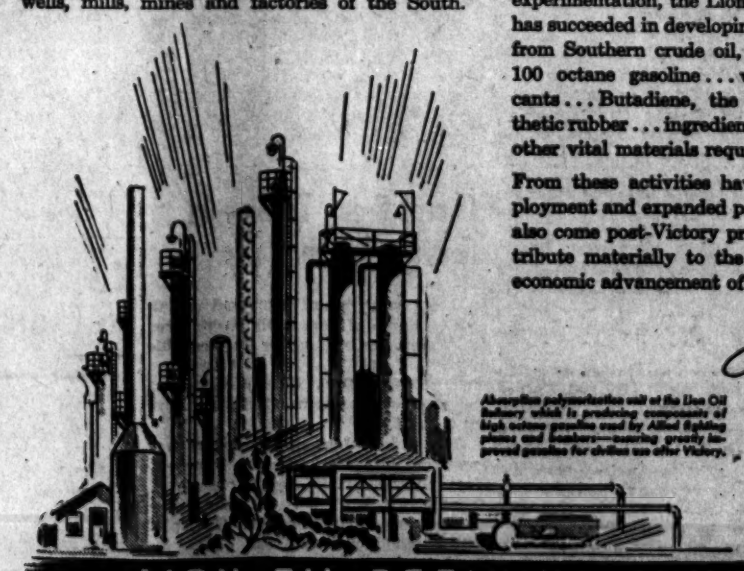
In the meantime, through constant research and experimentation, the Lion Oil Refining Company has succeeded in developing and is now producing from Southern crude oil, several components of 100 octane gasoline . . . vastly improved lubricants . . . Butadiene, the basis of Buna-S synthetic rubber . . . ingredients for explosives . . . and other vital materials required for war.

From these activities have come increased employment and expanded payrolls! From them *will* also come post-Victory products destined to contribute materially to the greater industrial and economic advancement of the South!

J. W. Barton
PRESIDENT



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MERRY CHRISTMAS, FRIENDS

The contact we make at Christmas time with the family circle and with friends, forms a chain whose very links are of gold. The Christmas songs, and services and written greetings and the mutual goodwill, are in reality gifts of the Christmas spirit. To every one of you who reads this, know that we wish for you the best of all blessings, Peace, as our Savior wished for you. Merry Christmas, wherever you are. Mabel Whitaker

Mrs. John Keeton went to Memphis through Tuesday with the family of Mr. . B. Pollard and the late Mrs. Pollard, a very dear friend of the Keetons. One of the young sons in the family is ill and Mrs. Keeton plans to the past week end and remained there bring him home with her.

Miss Adell Hoffa is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. P. Lake in Memphis.

Mrs. Fred Bowman, who has been in Winona with her sisters since the funeral of her husband, is spending the week with her friend, Mrs. Murphy

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Poovey and baby of Durant will spend Christmas week with their mother, Mrs. Donald Ross.

Sgtt. Ralph Semmes Jr of the Long Beach unit of the Air Corps will spend the holidays with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bain and Mrs. M. V. Rose of Elliott, have purchased the Brewer home on South Line Street and expect to occupy it soon.

Miss Mary Moore Mithcell, librarian at Hattiesburg, is expected on Friday to spend the holidays with her parents

Miss Jessie VaOsdel, member of the faculty of Holmes Junior College of Goodman, and her niece, Mrs. Billy Weisker, will spend Christmas with the family in Grenada.

Mr.and Mrs. Charles Calhoon and baby of Jackson are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Calhoon.

Mrs. Margaret Green of Plainfield, Ill., arrived Saturday for an extended visit with her children, Mr and Mrs. E. R. Green and family.

Miss Maydell Betz visited her mother last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kirk are to spend Christmas week end in the in the home of their children, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Woffard, at Sumner. Miss Ruth Kirk will also spend the week end holidays there and the remaining days of her holiday with her parents.

Sgt. Joe Mitchell Jr. from Camp Pickett, Va. is visiting his parents and wife here last week and left on Saturday, accompanied by his wife who will remain in Virginia for a visit.

Mrs. E. A. Penn is spending Christmas with her children in Nashville and Fayettville, Tenn.

Miss Luccille Owens visitetd with her family at Wynne, Ark. Saturday and returned to her post of duty as hostess at the AAB reception center on Monday.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES
All Saintst' Episcopal Church

Childrens' Christmas tree at 6 P. M. Christmas Eve.

Christmas Eve 11:30 P. M. Choral Eucharist.

Christmas Day 11:00 A. M. Holy Communion.

Sunday, December 26, 11:00 Morning Prayer and Sermon.

The service on Sunday will be conducted by Chaplain Edward Harrison of the 302nd Infantry Regiment of the 94th Division. There will be no early celebration of the Holy Communion.

GRENADA COUNTY CHAPTER FOR POLIO ELECT OFFICERS

On Monday, December 13, at a meeting held at the Barwin Hotel, the Infantile Paralysis elected officers for the coming year.

Mrs. J. K. McDawall, State Director for infantile paralysis, was present and outlined to the group the problems and ideals each chapter should nake as its goal. "No crippled child should go without assastance for lack of funds in any county where a chapter functions properly", explained Mrs. McDonwall.

The Annual Fund Raising Appeal, which begins January 14 and officially closes January 31, was discussed by Mrs. Goodwin, the newly elected chairman of the chapter, will direct the campaign with the assistance of Mrs. H. L. Honeycutt, Mrs. C. W. Briscoe, and Mrs. John Rundle, the new vice-chairman. Others to be selected to wirk with Mrs. Goodwin on the drive will be announced later.

The chapter officers are: Chairman Mrs. Margaret Goodwin; Vice-Chairman, Mrs. John Rundle; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Charles Willis.

Those present at the luncheon were Mesdames Goodwin, Rundle, Willis and Honeycutt, Dr. McGahey and Mrs. McDowall.

Infantile paralysis work has been carried on successfully for a number of years under the direction of Mrs. Ruby Hudson who had to resign on account of other duties.

HRISTMAS PARTY

Mrs. Nina Dickens was hostess on Friday when she entertained for a group of friends who were leaving for their homes for Christmas holidays.

A lovely Christmas motif was successfully carried out in decorations and in the delightful refreshments The party was at the Grenada Hotel be hostess resides.

The honor guests were Mrs. Ted Little of Des Moines, Mrs. Lester Rutledge of Dallas, Mrs. Craig Dolinger of Jacksonville, and Mrs. G. Way of New York City.

Jay Gore Jr. in training at Mississippi College, will spend the holidays at home.

Mrs. B. L. Gerard returned home on Sunday from a week's visit with her children Mr. and Mrs. William Gerard and their children in Winona. Mrs. Gerard expects her daughter, Mrs. Paul Gerard and sons of Cleveland, also Mr and Mrs. William Gerard of Winona for a christmas visit.

Lt. and Mrs. Edward Penn of Mobile, Mrs. Laura Merrett of Jackson and Mrs. William Penn from the Delta are Christmas guests of Mrs. C. C. Penn, their mother.

Cliff Bailey, dental student at the Nortwestern University in Chicago, also his friend, Miss Fran O'Conner of Chicago, arrived Sunday night at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. K Bailey for a holiday visit.

Miss Ann Duncan of Southwestern University, is visiting her mother.

Cadet Duval Proudfit of the Army Cavigation School at San Carlos, Tex. is visiting his mother during Christmas

Mrs. A. J. McCaslin will have a Christmas visit from members of her family, and they are expected to arrive for the Christmas week end on Friday. Those to come are her four sons, Austtin, Billy, Byron and Henry and ttheir families and her daughter, Mrs. Roger Dollarhide.

Miss Ruth Swetland is spending the holidays in New York with her sister.

Miss Bess Sharp of Monroe, La., and medical student Bobby Sharp of New Orleans are here for Christmas.

Mrs. Bob Morris, nee Mary Douglas Honeycutt, left Monday for Norfork, Va. to visit her husband, Lieut. Norris.

Sgt. and Mrs. H. J. Ray and the twin children of Pineville, La., arrived on the Panama Sunday for a visit with with the Rays and will leave on the 28th for New Orleans for a visit with Mrs. Ray's parents.

Rogers Pleasants, student at Washington and Lee University and Hal Pleasants of Columbia (Tenn.) Academy are enoying the holidays here with their mother, Mrs. Pleasants

HOLIDAY VISITORS

Young ladies at home for the Xmas holidays include Misses Mary Nell Rayburn of Mississippi College, Elizabeth McGahey, Lil York, Mary Lou Cullen, Margaret Ann and Ethel Scott from MSCW, Mary Elizabeth Horton, Margaret Stanley, Frances Herring, Ann Odom and Pearl Martindale from Milsaps, Marjorie Chapman from Belhaven, Louise Avent and Dorothy Talbert from Ole Miss and Caroline Whitaker from All Saints at Vicksburg.

Miss Mary Virginia Hardy and Betsy Ann Smith, MSCW students, are at home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Clanton of Ole Miss are home for the holidays with their parents.

Captain and Mrs. Kenneth F. Flynn and son, Kenneth Jr., have an apartment in the home of Mrs. Hortense Matthews in Holcomb.

Mr. John Haxby is enjoying a visit with his sister in St. Louis. He well deserves the rest.

Thomas Rose of the Air Corps in Gulfport will spend Christmas with his parents.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB

The 20th Ceatury Club met at the home of Mrs. Cowles Horton, with Mrs. W. W. Whitaker as co hostess on Tuesday. The secretary's report will apprear next wek.

Dear Santa Clause, Please Bring Me

A blond wife, Captain Eddie Robert.

A girl whose name begins with a "J", Lt. Regulski.

An overseas husband, Mary McCluskky

A 200 lb. Capt., Kathryn.

You know what, Squire Boushe.

My land back, W. E. Boushe.

Some restt, Dennis.

Off Christmas, H. G (Fat chance)

Some pie, Abernethy's supoorters.

More cases, Squire McKibben.

An eagle, Col. Ryder.

More dirty duds, McCarley.

More publicity, theUSO.

Sobe of Gibson's rye, R. Semmes.

The continued confidence of friends, r. Frank Smith.

Some pie, Bailey supporters.

Some rest, Kent.

A moon hand, E. R. Green.

My boys back, Mrs. Chamberlain.

Help, help, Mrs. Rose.

A new pair of drawers, Me.

Another sttripe, H. J. Ray Jr.

Some of you know what, C. C. Cathey

A fat shote, Geo. Moss.

Help help, help, the stork.

More hogs and corn, Earl Statetn.

Santa Claus, you see.

War or peace, a brave new world is in the making—a world in which better opportunities will be had for all. The Spirit of Progress is on the march, and we may all look hopefully to the future. At this time it is fitting that we count our many friends and recall the happy relationships of 1943. We wish all of you the choicest blessings that Christmastime can bestow.

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One hundred and twenty years ago Clement Clarke Moore's jolly poem, "A Visit from St. Nicholas," first appeared. Each year since then it has contributed to the joy of Christmas. We want to say that if we were able to gather up all this joy and wrap it up in one big package it would hardly represent our wishes for your Christmas happiness this season of 1943.

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"VOLLIE'S SUPER MARKET"

TO the far corners of the globe go the Christmas wishes and packages to our boys in the service. With the new world of the future in the making we look forward hopefully to the Christmas of tomorrow, while wishing you the happiest of Christmases today.

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LADIES' AND GENT'S FURNISHING STORE

The tree is up, garlanded in wreaths of tinsel, aflare with lights that glow like fireflies. There it stands in the window, sparkling with all the borrowed glamour of elfland.

With this glowing background to remind us, we are ready to speak our piece. It is a very simple one . . . the same as last year and the year before: Thank you one and all for your kindness to us, and

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1943

Our New Division Commander

I have never seen Major General Henry J. Malony, the commander of the 94th Division, now in this area, and I may never see him, but to one, like myself who has seen military service, the conclusion that he is a fine leader of men is inescapable.

Everyone who has had contact with the men of this division can not fail to see that it has a splendid esprit de corps, an intangible something or other that causes all members, from the Assistant Division Commander to the youngest rookie in the rear rank of the squad, to "bet" on their Commanding General and to have faith and pride in their division and in their respective commanders.

Water can rise no higher than its level, nor can a military unit rise higher than its commander. It is axiomatic that in the army the best officer is the officer who is "hard and fair," one who does not let petty grievances delay the promotion of a worthy soldier, one who does not let boot-licking have any effect on the soldier's status. Not knowing the Commander General, I visualize him as a man who is hard, but fair, a man who deals justly with the members of his command, one who punishes those who are guilty and rewards those who merit advancement.

I have talked with a number of junior officers who have just recently joined this command. Each of them already has become imbued with the esprit de corps of the 94th I have talked to enlisted men and they have pride in their division, and have faith in their leaders. I have talked to those who have stars, eagles and maple leaves on their shoulders. Their pride in their division and their faith in their Commanding General are no less than those of the lowliest enlisted men.

I believe that I voice the sentiment of Grenada in extending a warm welcome to the members of the 94th Division, and in congratulating them upon having as their Division Commander a man whom all can honor and respect.

The Other Side

While I am unalterably opposed to the gypping and gutting of tenants, especially those of the armed forces, I can see that, in some cases, the OPA regulations—designed primarily for the tenants—should be relaxed so that the owner, with increased living expenses, increased taxes and greatly increased costs of maintenance, should receive a reasonable return of his investment.

In the first place, it is not fair for a tenant to make a great profit, or any profit at all on the owner's investment. In short, he should not be permitted to get more [illegible] and at the same time get his own quarters free.

Some individuals receive their entire incomes from rental property. In purchasing power, their income is just about half the amount it was in normal times. The renters, however, have experienced a great increase in THEIR income and they should share some of their increase with the man who supplies the home and maintains it.

Two meetings whose purpose was to bring about a relaxation of some of the rigid rules of the OPA, have been held in Grenada. In cases such as cited in the second and third paragraphs hereof, equity and justice demand that something should be done. The rule of reason should be used not only so far as the tenant is concerned, but also so far as the owner is concerned.

Until now my mind has been occupied with the injustice perpatrated by a FEW landlords, but now I see that, in some cases, the landlord has been placed between a rock and a hard place.

It is an old axiom that a person should come into court with his own hands clean. In short, a tenant seeking justice through the OPA from his landlord, should be just to is landlord. A tenant, whether occupying a whole house or one room should be protected by the OPA from excessive charges, but he, in turn, should respect the property of the owner and not abuse it unduly.

There are THREE sides, as usual: your side, my side and the RIGHT side.

Billeting Officer Appointed

The Camp Commander, Colonel Ryder, has appointed Lieutenant Kramer as Billeting Officer for the soldiers stationed at Camp McCain.

Lt. Kramer, in the opinion of the writer who knows this officer, is intelligent, industrious and will carry out the duties of the office conscientiously.

What orders, whether mild, firm or drastic, this officer has, we are unable to say, as we do not know.

We are sure Lt. Kramer will solicit and welcome cooperation from the civil authorities, including the medical unit, and the citizenship generally, as well as the OPA Rent Control office.

This officer said, substantially, "I want to be fair to landlord and soldier tenant alike, and I solicit the cooperation of both groups."

A Tough Proposition

Grenada is loaded to the limit with soldiers and with civilians connected with the war effort. Homes never before opened to others than the members of the families have "taken in" soldiers and their families. This is true of all communities within this area.

We are now faced with a tougher proposition, that of taking care of more wives than ever before. One can easily observe that the members of the 94th Division are, on an average, several years older than the average age of the members of the 87th Division. One of the general officers stated that a check had been made of the marital status of members of the 94th, and it was ascertained that a majority of them were married men, some with small children. This means, of course, that there will be more than the usual number of wives seeking to spend the last few weeks, or months, as the case may be, with their soldier husbands before the soldiers may be sent on a mission from which many will never, never return, and from which many of those who do return will return maimed in body or mind, or both.

Yet, as stated above, it is a seemingly hopeless problem to take care of any considerable number of these wives in a town already running over with people.

The very least that Grenada can do is to take care of as MANY as possible, and to treat those who can find places fairly and justly in rents and other charges. To the everlasting credit of Grenada, most of the wives and families have been treated well and have been charged reasonable rentals, in spite of the FEW who have overcharged, gutted and gyped men destined to defend us who are too old to join in the fight. I personally know cases where the soldier and his wife have been taken almost literally into the family whose home they occupy.

Grenada, I feel sure, is going to do its best to take care of a greater number, but it will fail to take care of all Some wives and families will of sheer necessity be forced to return to their original homes. For this condition, the people of Grenada will be sorrowful, yet helpless.

Dear Santa Claus, Please Bring Me

A lot of coal, Grandpa Bailey.
Some renewals, the GCW.
A silver leaf, Major Waite.
A gold leaf, Captain Uzell.
A raise, W. O. Williams.
More magazines, John Bradley.
Less work, miss penny lope.
ernuthe campain, mr. top.
Damfino, J. P. P.
More meat, Wing.
A case of it, Uncle Pink.
More weddings, Bro. Henderson.
A pat hand, Harry Burkley.
A raise, Joe Thompson.
Some seed corn, Johnathan Thomas
To keep my job, Tobe Hill.
More students, John Rundle ???
An eagle, Lt. Col. Caviness.
An electric dishwasher, Mable.
Andrew back, May.
A new plow, Jeff Wilkins.
Just anything, Jim Cuff.
A lotta trade, Bob Carpenter.
My health back, Aunt Kate Hall.
Some shells, Ben Thomason.
A gold leaf, Capt. Bondurant.
Freedom, France.
A place to hide Goering.
Some hair tonic, Eli Whitaker.
More work, J. E. Shaw Sr.
More meat, Hal Cullen.
No tax on oleomargarine, Vollie.
Many of you have missed out on
My health back, Churchhill.
Regular pay, Supervisors.
Stalin has said nothing in every language, including the Filipino.
If your blond husbands have played out, send me a brunette or a redhead.
My boys back, Mrs. Sshiele.
Oil, H. T. Salter.
My health back, Paul Johnson.
A new tie, Herman Heath.
More shotes and bull yearlings and garbage, W. H. Kirk.
A wife, Bro. Jacks, Rt. 2.
Less forms to fill in, Carl Jordan.
A wife, William Wright.
Simplified income taxes, Robt W.
A new casting rod, Uncle Robt Hall.
A fine bird dog, favorite married blond.
Some toothache drops, favorite brunette.
A little rest, Kyle and Ada Cooper.
Some more Sunday School scholars, J. B. Perry, Sr.
Another fire engine, Grenada.
A ten gallon kegff, Will Yarborough.
Some expert help, the stork.
The status quo, the 4Fs.
Your cooperation, Clayton Carpenter, the new sheriff.
Ditto, Mrs. C. H. Willis, the new superintendent.
A rest, Brother Godbold.
A couple of hours sleep, John Willingham.
Some phonograph records, favorite wife.

USO Notes

The sewing bee at the USO womans' division meets Tuesday afternoons at 2. The army wives are making useful articles such as aprons, curtains and tea towels. Scraps of materials are use to make pot holders.

Wednesday afternoon the army wives held their regular weekly luncheon. All wives of service men re welcome but reservations are closed at Tuesday noon. Mrs. Elsa J. Nielson of Milwaukee was hostess tto Mrs. Debora Mahoney of Montgomery as cohostess. Mrs. Ann Barbara of Brooklyn also helped with the preparations.

The menu consisted of grapefruit juice, pineapple cheese salad, Irish stew, hot rolls and butter, caramel angel food cake, and coffee.

The Bridge and Rummy party followed the luncheon. Mrs. Marion Sweet of Portland, Maine won high score for bridge and Mrs. Doris DeBoard of Mt. View, Mo., won the booby prize for bridge.

Mrs. Shirley Kirsch won first prize in Gin Rummy. Mrs. Deb Mahoney won the booby prize.

The Bible study group met Thursday afternoon and was led by the Rev. C. E. Meador.

Tuesday morning the army wives met for breakfast. Mrs. Anna Tarkany of Logan, W. V., was in charge.

The breakfast preceeded the Thursday morning group which was interested in crocheting, knitting and embroidery.

Friday and Saturday, army wives were busy wrapping Christmas gifts for themselves and service men.

An old fashioned Christmas party is promised men and women in uniform who visit the USO club at the Community House on both Christmas Eve and Christmas day, it was announced by Mr. M. C. McDaniel, the director.

Service men, their wives and Wacs will gather around the tree. Junior hostesse and service men, their wives and Wacs will go about the streets singing Christmas carols at 7 P. M. on Christmas Eve. The party will follow at the clubhouse with Imogene Calk as General Chairman. Christmas cookies, cookies, candy, nuts and wassail will be served the guests. Caroling around the tree will be part of the evening's enjoyment. The party will close in time for the group to attend midnight services at the churches.

Men and women in uniform and the wives of service men will rhumba out the old year and jitterbug in the new, it was announced today when Director McDaniel at the Community house made known his plans for New Year's Eve.

The USO Club will be a night club with all the trimmings for a gay tie in ushering in the new year The prettiest girls in town, regular USO Junior hostesses, will be dancing partners for men in uniform. Many of the wives will arrive for the holidays and also will attend. A New Year's Formal will be held at the Legion Hall on New Year's Day in the evening for which the Junior hostesses are preparing.

Miss Marguerite Finney is General Chairman of the party.

The approaching holiday season makes us appreciate more than ever before the priceless value of our friends and customers, like yourself. It reminds us, too, of the sacrifices being made by many of our friends now in the service of Uncle Sam. To you, and to all these, go our thanks for your patronage in 1943, and our wishes for a joyous holiday.

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JAMES CUFF AND COMPANY

THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS, dominating the world stage, once more has incredibly rolled aside the clouds of war. There is still beauty in common things, still good in the world, and we are all grateful for the glowing interval of Yuletide.

As for ourselves, we are also grateful for your loyalty to us during 1943, and extend the season's best wishes to all.

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TO EACH AND ALL

May your Christmas of 1943 approach in joyousness the carefree Christmases of early years when you dreamed of the coming of St. Nicholas.

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WE PAUSE, on the Eve of Christmas, 1943, to contemplate how much we owe the perennial character of our customers. With gratitude and pride we scan the list. Some of these customers have been with us for more than a quarter of a century.

To these old customers, to new ones, and to potential ones every member of this organization now joins in wishing "Merry Christmas."

TRUSTY'S

Church Services In Grenada

"Just as wars are won by the unknown soldiers, so the cause of righteousness is upheld and propelled by the unknown Christians whose names are not listed in any lists of saints."

To those who attend church services regularly an invitation to continue attendance is warmly extended to you, and to those of you who have not been attending services, a special invitation is extended you.

Go to church regularly.

CHURCHES:

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Main Street
Rev. Glen E. Wiley, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Sermon 11:00 a. m.
Other services announced.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH
All Saints Parish
Rev. C. S. Liles, Rector
Main Street
Holy Communion every Sunday except 1st Sunday, at 7:30 a. m.
Church School 10:00 a. m.
Sermon 11 a. m.
Holy Communion on 1st Sunday at 11 a. m.
Other services announced.

ST. PETERS CATHOLIC CHURCH
Located on College Boulevard
Father Meader, Home on Poplar St.
Services each Sunday at 9 a. m. and 1. a. m.
Benediction at 8 p. m.
Other services to be announced.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Corner of Second and Doak Streets
Rev. C. A. Pharr, Minister
Home on Fairfield
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Sermon 11:00 a. m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m
Other services to be announced.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
South Street
Rev. W. L. Robinson, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Sermon 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting each Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
M. Y. F. at 6:45 p. m. each Sunday.
Other services announced.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Second Street
Rev. E. R. Henderson, Pastor
Sunday Sermon 11 a. m.
Other services announced.

Political Announcements

The following have announced for City office for the election to be held on January 8th:

MAYOR
Marshall Perry.
L. C. Proby.

MARSHAL
J. D. Crenshaw.
W. W. Odom.

ALDERMAN, WEST WARD
(Vote for two)
Dave Childers
G. F. Deaton
Fred Lickfold, Jr.
J. D. Moss, Sr.

Dear Santa Claus, Please Bring Me

Thanks for the cold weather, Howdy do Adams.

A gold leaf, Captain Bondurant.

Damfino, Orley Lilly.

Anything not too heavy to tote, Finley Horton.

Some tender beards, Jim Weed.

Letters from home, the men in service.

Some ads, the GCW.
Damfino, Roy Doak.

A case of Garrett, Ed Brunson.

A job, Ed Spruill.

Some more help, Ike Solar.

The Mayor's office, L. C. Proby.

Ditto, Marshall Perry.

A moon hand, Sistrunk.

Ditto, Mr. West.

A trip home, Andrew Whitaker, Cpl. CSAC.

Some rest, Charlie Cathey.

A silver maple leaf, Major Cyr'l Lloyd.

Some new industries lined up, Grenada.

More licker, the hooch-hounds.

Anything but a damn dam, Ike Stone.

A mess of chitterlings, Pritch Horton.

Ditto, Dr. Clanton.

A couple of aces back to back, William Wright.

Anything you will give me, J. L. Townes, Sr.

BLEAK DECEMBER!
'Tis passing strange that this month which furnishes the least light out of doors, should furnish the most light within. It's the Spirit of Christmas, and the Merriest of Christmases to you!

SPAIN'S 5c & 10c STORE
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Spain

Farmers Are Urged To Buy Bonds Now

With this year's fall harvest now almost over, farmers of Grenada County were urged this week to "invest every dollar possible from your crop in the world's safest and best investment—War Bonds."

Mr. C. H. Calhoon, County War Finance Director, issued the appeal, stating "our county has a wonderful record to uphold in War Bond buying, and unless farmers, who receive most of their cash at this time of year, really make War Bond investments, our record will be endangered."

"Every dollar put into War Bonds by farmers now will mean new plows, new tractors, fences, barns and other necessary farm equipment after the war," the director stated. "It is impossible for farmers to buy many things they need on the farm now, due to the demands of war. But after the war, farm machinery and equipment will be available and will be badly needed.

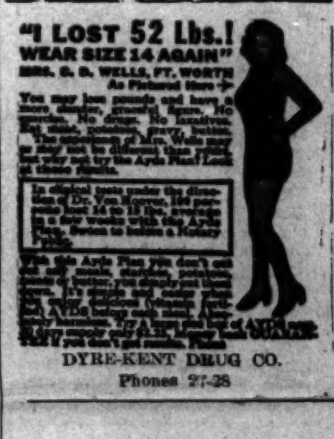
"By putting extra cash from crops—and there is more cash this year—into Bonds, farmers not only insure the winning of the war, but they also insure their farming future."

The War Finance Director pointed out that there had been a "noticeable lag" in county War Bond buying since the Third War Loan, but added that this was to be expected to a certain extent.

It is now time, he stressed, for bond buying to be showing an upturn, and it was predicted county sales will leap if enough farmers "protect their county and own interests" by purchasing bonds with their extra cash.

"Our farmers have worked hard, and they are doing a good job producing the raw materials of war. Prices are good.

"We urge farmers to put every dollar not needed for operating expenses into the world's safest investment—War Bonds."



DYRE-KENT DRUG CO.
Phones 27-28

Greater Gore Springs

Miss Virginia Smith spent the week end in Doddsville with her friend, Ella Floyd Dickerson.

Mrs. Annie Tharpe, of Grenada, attended the Home Demonstration Club meeting Thursday.

W. L. Brewer, of Cascilla, visited Mrs. Brewer during the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Brewer and Eloise Morman were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Morman at Camp McCain Saturday.

Miss Pat Morman, of Tie Plant, visited friends in the community during the week end. "Everybody loves Pat."

Mrs. W. C. McWhorter is spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Cohea in Grenada Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tressell, of Jackson, were week end guests of their mother, Mrs. Belle Trussell during the week end.

Mrs. Belle Trussell, Martha Lynn Criss, Leroy, Jettie and Marjorie Trussell visited Mrs. Henry Shaw, of Calhoun City Saturday.

Mrs. Ann Hankins was the guest of home folks in Carrollton Saturday.

Miss Loraine Hardin was accompanied to her home in Derma by Thomas Gillon and Mary Ellen Haile Friday. She returned to her duties at school Monday after a brief illness.

The Woman's Home Demonstration Club held its December meeting on Thursday, December 9th with thirty-two members present. Each answered roll call by naming a gift wanted for Christmas. The following program was rendered: Christmas Reading, Mrs. T. P. Haile; Poem, "It Takes So Little to Make Us Glad", Mrs. A. J. Mitchell; Christmas in Other Lands, School Students, Earlene Sultan, Martha Grace Chamberlain, Jeannene Tyner, Charlie Austin, Joy Gillon; Silent Night, Jingle Bells, School Students; White Christmas, Solo, Mrs. Ann Hankins. Mrs. Neely won the prie (an evergreen) on the Christmas tree contest. Gifts from a large Christmas tree and table were given out by Mrs. Calvin Clanton, Mrs. Jim Moore and Mrs. Neely.

Holiday Cheer

It's about time for us to wake up and thank our many friends and customers for their valued patronage during 1943. We cannot tell you how much we appreciate your kindness. May your Christmas be very, very happy.

GRENADA DRY GOODS STORE
Tobe Isenberg

WANTED TO BUY Pecans

Any amount, any size. Prefer small and medium sizes. Shipments and inquiries solicited.

Sternberg Pecan Co.
SHELLERS OF PECANS
100 East Hamilton Street
Near N. Parish Street
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

CUT FLOWERS

Roses, Carnations, Snap Dragons, Glads and Chrysanthemums.

Potted Plants in Bloom: Poinsettias, Cyclamen, Begonias, Lilies, Azalias and Peppers.

CORSAGES
Roses, Carnations, Gardenias
Orchids

Flowers Telegraphed Anywhere
Foreign or Domestic
Open Nights Until Christmas

HENDERSON FLORAL CO.
On Mound Street
Between Second and Third
Phone 686 Grenada, Miss.

There's a Christmas rush on telephone wires, too

- Help keep war-crowded circuits clear on December 24, 25 and 26.
- Please use Long Distance only if it is vital.
- War needs the wires—even on holidays.

SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

ALL ALONG THE LINE WE SEND YOU

Christmas Greetings

AND EVERY GOOD WISH FOR 1944

Reddy Kilowatt
Your Electrical Servant

MISSISSIPPI POWER & LIGHT CO.
A SELF-SUPPORTING, TAX PAYING BUSINESS

THE GRENADA COUNTY WEEKLY

Has Oodles of Christmas Cards in Boxes of 50 and 36

If you do not wait too late we can print your name on these Cards

THROUGH A WOMAN'S EYE

By Mrs. W. W. Whitaker

A Southern negro brought in his complicated draft questionnaire to the draft board and simply stated: "I'se ready when you is."

If tomorrow you were dictator and had the power to avert a ruinous inflation in the United States, would you do so? You have the power now. You have it in common with millions of other men and women as undictatorial as yourself, because each one of you are now enaged in bringing about such a disastrous state of affairs. The very fact that you are failing to put your extra money (all you can spare) into War Bonds, you are forcing the U. S. reasury to create new money to pay its war bills. Sudden increase in the amount of money in circulation has caused every "run-away inflation" in history.

One producer told me that he has begun to receive small, tho appreciated gifts, of the usual leather bound note books, desk cesk calendar variety of gifts as Xmas remberances, remarked that in the past "they" sent these things to customers. Now appreciative customers are sending gifts to producers who are operating with limited supplies. "It's a long lane that has no turning."

We keep remembering that Mr. Churchill said, "give us the tools and we will do the job", meaning of course that he would see to it that the man power of Europe would be used as fighters, equipped with American arms and ammunition. Now, what do we see happening? We see General Marshall in Europe, ready to take over the command of all fighting men in the Allied cause, and the acknowledged fact that American soldiers on the so-called second front will out number our Allies' soldiers. There has been no checkup in our Lend-Lease agreement to Russia, to China, to any of our allies, and our American armed forces now number 8,200,000 men.

In this gigantic program of furnishing this supply and replacement equipment, America is using her resources too fast. She is systematically being stripped for the present emergency with no seeming thought of our responsibility to future generations.

American oil is, on the whole, superior to oil of other countries, therefore is often [illegible] around the world to within sight of British refineries. "American Oil" is fighting in Congress for a [illegible] increase per barrel, and some congressmen are crying "inflationary possibilities". Our American oil should be classed as above the average and used carefully, jjust as diamonds of Afrien are classed as superior, and are definitely not subject to depressed or changing conditions.

Churchill said, "I was not selected to preside over the disintegrations of His Majesties' Kingdom." Roosevelt should say, "I am not elected to strip America of her valuable raw resources and place a burden of taxes on many generations of American people." We are capable of fighting our fight. We should be willing to lend-lease our supplies in proportion to a similar output of resources expended by our gallant allies, but not to the point where we spend and send all we can draw and refine and manufacture and deliver.

Seen, Heard and Told By The Editor

Mr. J. M. (Miles) Smith, now working for the government in Little Rock, spent a few days in his old home in Grenada, attending to business affairs, recently.

Attorney Dick Nason from the swamp in Itta Bena has been visiting Volney, "Miss" Alice and Mrs. Whit Singleton recently. He looks fat and fine.

Brother Beckum found Babe Costiow somewhere he should not have been Saturday and brought him to town, but the question is why was Brother Beckum there.

Congratulations to Sgt. W. D. Riley, Jr., who has received the Oak Leaf Cluster and several other medals while in the air service oversens.

Cousin Hortense, who is looking much better these days, was in Grenada recently, and renewed her subscription.

Brother J. A. Goodman is in our midst. He recently got several baths at Hot Springs.

To show how efficient the GCW's Santa Claus letters are, Lt. Kramer, who asked for some silver bars, received them just two days after the letter was printed.

I do not see how Lillian lives with Orley, for the latter is such a monkey, putting things in pockets and other harmless devilment.

Dear Santa: Just leave off the ermine coat order and let both my boys be home at Christmas. Mrs. Rose, also Tommie.

Hope Tom Bailey gets OK after a minor operation in New Orleans. Tom is a good fellow and I hope he makes a better governor than I thought Mike Conner would make.

Aint they sweet.

Remember, we have oodles of Christmas cards; but, to have your name printed on them, you MUST try to get here Friday or Saturday. After that we are likely to be too busy to fool with much printing.

Saxton Weir, Jr. Receives "Wings Of Gold"

Saxton A. Weir, Jr., 24, son of Mr. S. A. Weir, of 36 Franklin St., Grenada, won his Navy "Wings of Gold" and was commissioned an Ensign in the Naval Reserve this week folowing competion of the prescribed flight training course at the Naval Air Training Center, Pensacola, Fla., the "Annapolis of the Air."

Having been designated a Naval Aviator, Ensign Weir will go on active duty at one of the Navy's air operational training centers before being assigned to a combat zone.

Ensign Weir has visited his parents in Grenada a few days and has reportted to Atlanta.

Dear Santa Claus, Please Bring Me

Mr. boy back home, Mrs. Honeycutt.

Another term, Tom Abernethy.

5 aces, Earl Burkley.

A case of it, Harry Greenfield.

A couple of bars, Lt. Jacobs.

The war to end, Dorothy, our "pressman."

Some help, Betty.

Some fat coons, Will Martin.

A piano, Squire Gray.

John Haxby

Seed Dealer

Grenada, Mississippi

"I Tell You What I Sell You"

A grade and size for every need
Alabama TRUCK Coals

High grade Red Ash Coals, Kentucky Coals and Coke by Rail

Call 10 for COAL

Call us today and SAVE

Whitaker Coal Co.

Phone 10 Third Stt.

WARM MORNING Coal Heaters
(Burns Longer— Firing)

Stand-by

A "WEATHERBEE" RAIN-OR-SHINE COAT FOR ACTIVE SERVICE

$5.95

You just naturally look for basic quality, service and stamina in everything you buy today. That's why we recommend this practical "WEATHERBEE" Cotton Gabardine coat, shower-proofed by Impregnole. In sunshine and showers, you couldn't do better for comfort and smartness. Note the railroad stitching and the array of pockets. Sizes 10 to 20.

AS FEATURED IN Glamour

R. H. HERRING

DRY GOODS AND SHOES

Grenada : : : Mississippi

MEDITATIONS

As we were working the other night getting our store in shape for Christmas, we paused a few moments to rest and began to meditate. We thought of all the trials and tribulations we are passing through today and wondered why these things are happening to us. Our thoughts wandered back to those simple Shepherds out on the hills that silent December night Nineteen Hundred Years ago, while tending their flocks, they saw a beautiful star different from any they had ever seen and heard GOD'S HOLY ANGELS shout the glad tidings, that unto the world a SAVIOR is born and PEACE AND GOOD WILL TO ALL MEN EVERYWHERE and singing GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST. We thought of what ST. LUKE wrote of JESUS as a young boy, AND JESUS INCREASED IN WISDOM AND STATUE AND IN FAVOR WITH GOD AND MAN—Yes JESUS gained wisdom and at the age of twelve he could talk to and answer the questions of the learned men of the temple, JESUS also grew physically without dissipating or defiling his body and was a perfect man

Now right at this point is where most of us fall down on the job—Usually when a young man has gotten up to where he is in high school or possibly colleze, he starts out to be a social lion first and leaves GOD'S work out until the last or maybe not at all, but JESUS grew in favor with GOD first and sought to learn and do His will first, then he grew in favor with man and his friends were many and no doubt he spent many pleasant hours in a sociable way. Yes JESUS was the perfect man, Physically, Mentally, Spiritually and Socially.

JESUS, THE PERFECT MAN

We thought of all the hatreds and horrors, all the double crossing, envy, jealousy, false pride, selfishness and politics that is being perpetrated at this time, we also thought of the vain glory and power some men have gotten and hold it only for a few short years and then it would fade away from them like green grass wilts away before a hot July sun.

We thought of all the big battleships plying the seven seas, all the big bombers raining death and destruction also we thought of the millions of men under arms and we wondered what would take place in the earth if all these were flying the Christian Flag of JESUS CHRIST and using spiritual bullets instead of lead. We next thought of all the little pigs that were killed and of all the rows of cotton that were plowed up to keep from having an over abundance and then we thought of all the leaves that were raked up and all the sand that was shuttled around to bring back an abundance and then we thought of marks you have to have in your hand now in order to buy or sell and how there is so much surplus money floating around that ways are being sought to siphon it away from the holders. Then we thought of all the DO-GOODERS running to and fro across the land with their post war plans, but we couldn't remember of having heard them mention JESUS CHRIST in their plans, but before there is any permanent peace, JESUS will have to be at the head of the Peace Table.

HE IS KING OF KINGS

Yes, we are living in a wonderful age with all the inventions and wonderful conveniences and the scientists are searching all the time to find more, but as the late Mr. Steinmetz who was a wizard told Thomas Edison some time before they passed into Eternity, that we had made some wonderful progress, but we could not go much farther in that direction until we learned to use a greater power, (meaning Spiritual Power).

Yes, JESUS who was born in BETHLEHEM and whose birthday we are approaching was a perfect man and the only one on earth without Sin and if we only would follow His teachings and do according to His will, and crown Him LORD OF LORDS AND KING OF KINGS, we could face the future without fear.

WE WISH YOU ALL A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Vollie's Super Market

"SHOP WITH VOLLIE AND BE JOLLIE, BUT SHOP VOLLIE FIRST"

YES, EVERYONE SMILES WHEN SAVING MONEY.

"NORTH SIDE OF SQUARE WHERE YOU'LL NEVER RARE"

Grenada Boy Safe After Battle Of Tarawa

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Matthews have received a letter from their son, Pfc. Frank Matthews, Jr., stating that he is safe after taking part in the battle of Tarawa, Atoll. He is with the 2nd Marine Division, having been over sea a little more than a year. Frank's friends here rejoice with his family in his safety.

How To Bake A WAC

On the wall of the WAC detachment in Camp Butner, N. C., is a recipe written by Mrs. Nathaniel Warring, wife of Capt. Warring of the Jackson army base:

"Take one draftee slightly green. Stir from bed at an early hour. Soak in shower or tub daily. Dress in olive drab. Mix with others of its kind.

"Grate on sergeant's nerves. Tough en with maneuvers and liberal portions of baked beans and roast beef. Season with wind, rain and snow. Sweeten from time to time with chocolate bars.

"Bake in 110 degrees and let cool in below-zero temperatures.

"Serves 140,000,000 people."

(Associated Press)

Welfare Office To Close Seven Days

Mrs. T. W. Goodwin asked the GCW to announce that the Department of Public Welfare, of which she is head, will be closed from the 22nd to the 28th of December.

Letters To Santa Claus

Holcolm, Miss. Dec 19, 1943

Why hello, dear old Sant Claus. Oh my, it is Christmas again and we want you to please remember us. My little brother James wants you to bring him a big BB gun and a wagon big enough to bring in mother's stove wood. My sister Frances wants a birthstone ring size 6 1-2. Her birthday is September 13. For myself I want a bicycle and anything tto eat you want to bring us.

So Santa remember my grandmother and granddaddy, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Costilow on 51 Highway. Remember uncle Pete, leave him a rubber dally, ha, ha. Santa, go to see my sister and her baby who live on Rt. 1, Big Creek. Think of my mother and daddy too, and think of pa and ma at Cascilla.

Well by by Santa. Hurry on to see us three who are your friends.

Frances, James and Ray Tart.

There'll always be a Christmas

Barbarians from across the seas would, if they could, banish Christmas forever from the earth. But there'll always be a Christmas! May the Christmas season of 1943 find you in the midst of a good old-fashioned Yule celebration.

Merry Christmas from all of us to all of you.

GRENADA STAVE COMPANY
GRENADA PLYWOOD BOX COMPANY
ALLEN COOPERAGE COMPANY

★From Greenland's icy mountains to India's coral strand the age-old celebration of Christmas is in progress. In this season of universal good will we welcome the opportunity to thank you for that measure of confidence you have shown in us during 1943 and other years. We will do our utmost to continue to deserve it.

THE NOVELTY SHOP

MISS LUCILLE COOK
MISS GEORGIA COOK
MRS. JOHN H. MITCHELL
MRS. J. W. RANEY

AMONG the things for which our boys are fighting is the right to celebrate Christmas in the traditional American way. It is with particular pride in our country's accomplishment in this direction and with firm faith for the future that we send you now our heartiest Christmas wishes.

J. H. BIDDY AND SONS
WELDERS

Phone 440 Grenada, Miss.

Rail oddities

THE EARLIEST FORM OF LOCOMOTIVE "HEADLIGHT" WAS A BONFIRE OF PINE KNOTS BLAZING IN A BED OF SAND ON A FLAT CAR WHICH WAS ATTACHED BEFORE THE LOCOMOTIVE.
RAILROADS HANDLE IN AND OUT OF ARMY AND NAVY CAMPS AND STATIONS ABOUT 10,000 CARS OF FREIGHT DAILY.

A CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT RECENTLY RECEIVED WORD THAT A RAILROAD WAS BRINGING IT A FIRE. THE FIRE – IN A CAR LOAD OF SULPHUR – WAS DISCOVERED WHEN THE TRAIN WAS 10 MILES FROM TOWN. THE FIREMEN WERE ON HAND TO PUT IT OUT WHEN THE TRAIN PULLED IN.

ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN RAILROADS

Victory Hints

By SAMMY BURTON
Home Service Director
Mississippi Power & Light Co.

★

MENUS' DRESSES CHANGE WITH FALL

When leaves turn gold and red, radiators begin to steam, out of the cedar chest come inch thick blankets and back from storage fur coats and your menus turn to hot from cold, then summer's really gone!

SAMMY BURTON

Iced coffee becomes heart-warming hot coffee—crisp salads become casseroles, platters of cold meat cuts become warming stews and sandwiches no longer are wrapped in waxed paper but are covered in hot gravy.

Change your menus' dress as you change your own. What could be more tempting on a cold October day than something like this:

Veal Shortcake

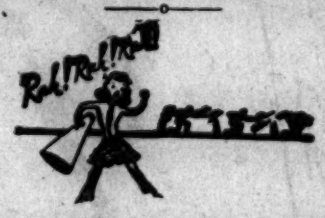
2 cups sifted flour
4 teasps. all-phosphate baking powder
½ teasp. salt
4 tbsps. shortening
2/3 cup milk

Sift flour, baking powder and salt together. Cut in shortening to the consistency of coarse meal. Add milk to form a soft dough. Turn out on lightly floured board, knead gently for ½ minute. Roll out to ½ inch thickness. Cut with medium sized biscuit cutter. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) 12-15 minutes. While hot, fill with creamed veal mixture.

Ham Bran Pancakes

2 eggs
2½ cups milk
3 cups flour
4 teasps. baking powder
1½ teasps. salt
½ teasp. dry mustard
1/3 cup melted shortening
1 cup bran cereal
15 slices boiled ham.

Beat eggs, add milk and mix well. Sift flour with baking powder, salt and mustard; add to first mixture, stirring until flour disappears. Add melted and cooled shortening and bran cereal. Dip ham slices in batter and bake on hot griddle, turning over once. Yield: 15 cakes



You'll give some cheers for our Cleaning service, and no wonder!! Clothes do look like new when we clean them!

Spotless Dry Cleaners
Phone 142

CLASSIFIED

WANTED TO BUY: 25 late model cars for cash. Must be clean, good tires. Grenada Auto Co. 1-28-tf.

FOUND—Truck tire on Poplar St. Describe tire, pay fifty cents for ad and get tire from Will Turner, at 15 Poplar street. 12-16

PERMANENT WAVE, 50c- Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. Dyre-Kent Drug and Morgan & Lindsey. 12-23-4-3-p

FOR SALE: 1 slightly used blond wood baby bed with repellant mattress, $20.00 cash. Extra innerspring mattress $6.00 cash. 1 folding bed and pad $10.00 cash. Call 131 of 22.

WANTED: Woman to help with house and 2 year old baby girl. Call or write Mrs. Zac Semmes, 624 College St. City, phone 131 or 22.

FOR SALE—one used black skin fur coat. Price ten dollars. 727 Main or Phone 496.

LOST—part Scottie puppy, five month old. Faint white line under throat Reward if returned to Mrs. R. J. Aertker, care of Mrs. Thelma Harris, Franklin St. 12-23 pd.

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.
To: Eugenia McAfee, Memphis, Tennessee.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Grenada, in said state, on the Second Monday of January, A. D., 1944, to defend the suit No. 5775 in said court of Douglas McAfee, wherein you are a defendant.

This the 2nd day of December, A. D., 1943.

J. P. Pressgrove, Cerk.
2-9, 16, 23-04w.

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.
To Odean Davis, address unknown:

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Grenada in said State, on the Second Monday of January, A. D., 1944, to defend the suit No. 5776 in said court of Jessie Davis wherein you are a defendant.

This 7th day of December, A. D., 1943.

J. P. Pressgrove, Clerk.
12-16, 23, 30-04w.

NOTICE TO BANKS

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received on or before the first Monday in January, 1944 from the Banks for the privilege of keeping the County's Funds or any part thereof, this notice being given as provided for under Chapter 105 of the Code of 1930 and amendments thereto. The Board reserving the right to reject any and all bids. This 8th day of December, 1943.

J. P. Pressgrove, Clerk.
12-16, 23, 30-75w.

DR. WHEELER JOHNSON
CHIROPRACTOR
Office, Masonic Temple Phone 422

"OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE"

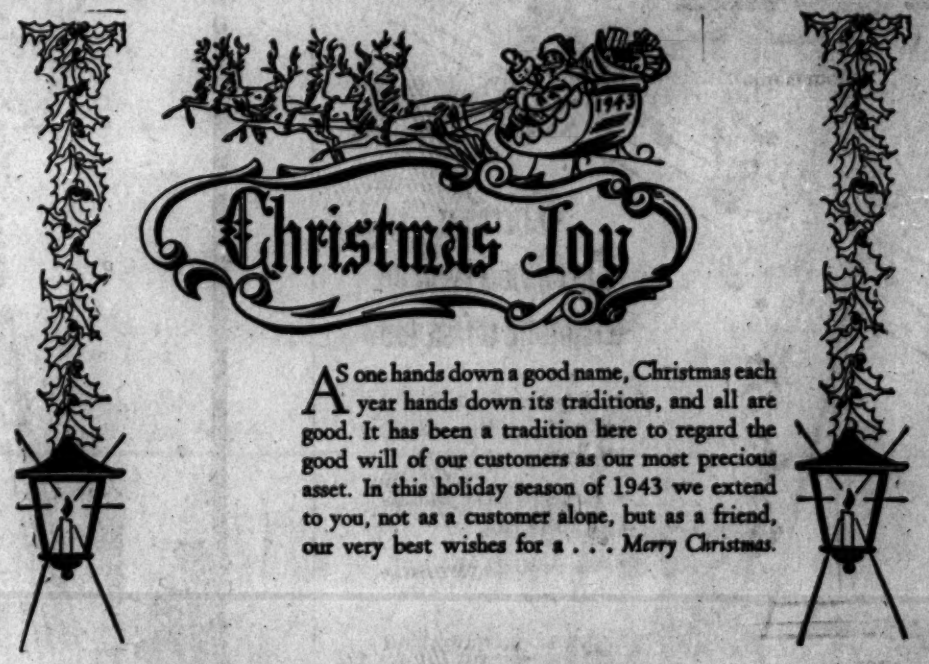
sums up, in two words, the achievements of our armed forces. We, too, strive for outstanding performance in every item of service. We thank you most cordially for your good will and patronage and wish you the Season's Greetings.

GRENADA IMPLEMENT COMPANY
GRENADA, MISSISSIPPI

A WREATH IN THE WINDOW

a star in the sky, and happiness in the heart. That the Christmas season of 1943 may be truly memorable for you and yours is the earnest wish of

COCA-COLA BOTTLING COMPANY



AS one hands down a good name, Christmas each year hands down its traditions, and all are good. It has been a tradition here to regard the good will of our customers as our most precious asset. In this holiday season of 1943 we extend to you, not as a customer alone, but as a friend, our very best wishes for a . . . *Merry* Christmas.

CITY ICE & COAL COMPANY